SCIENCE JUDGE – What do I do?

Ensure that:

- The correct teams are in the competition room
- The moderator is reading questions from the correct round
- The moderator is reading the questions correctly (not skipping words, correct pronunciations)

Control the buzzer system

- Wait to reset the buzzer system until student has been verbally recognized
- Note: Some Science Judges wait to reset until the bonus question is over to help prevent students from buzzing during bonus questions
- Verbally recognize the students when they buzz-in on toss-up questions
 - Identify students by announcing the team letter (A or B) and participant ID (1, captain, 2, 3), i.e., "A-3" or "B-captain"

Challenges

- Request that clock be stopped during challenges
- At the National Finals, all challenges must be sent to the Appeals Room



Minimum Requirements:

- · Be able to follow the competition flow
- Know and be able to apply all of the rules
- Read and review the questions prior to the event
- Have a college degree in math or the sciences

